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| Applicant:   | Boccazzi, et al.   | Examiner:         | Nathan Andrew Bowers |
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| Title:       | APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR SIMULTANEOUS OPERATION OF<br>MINIATURIZED REACTORS |                   |                      |

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed April 24, 2008. Claims 1-68 were pending in the above-referenced application, and claims 69-117 were withdrawn in accordance with a previously-filed election. Responsive to the Office Action, Applicant respectfully requests entrance of the following Amendment and consideration of the following Remarks. A Request for a Two Month Extension of Time is submitted herewith.

Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.